

AMENDMENT

In the Specification:

Please amend the sentence beginning on page 10, line 6-7, as follows:

Figures 2A and 2B show ~~Figure 2~~ shows general tocopherol-based compounds **1-29** presently synthesized and tested.

Please amend the paragraph on page 10, lines 8-10, as follows:

Figures 3A-3F show ~~Figures 3A, 3B and 3C~~ shows general synthetic organic approaches for the chemical variation of chromanol compounds at position R¹.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 10, lines 17-20, as follows:

Figures 7A-7D show ~~Figure 7~~ shows general synthetic organic approaches for the all-racemic 1-aza- α -tocopherol analogs. **Figures 7A and 7B** show ~~Figure 7A~~ shows the synthetic scheme for compounds **31-38** and **Figures 7C and 7D** show ~~Figure 7B~~ shows the synthetic scheme for compounds **39-43**.